



## **Sneve Gulch-FDT 1872**

**Difficulty:** Moderate  
**Trail Use:** Heavy  
**Length:** 2.45 miles  
**Elevation:** Starts at 8606 feet, ends at 10,245 feet, highest point 10,245 feet  
**Elevation Gain:** +1639 feet - 0 feet = 1639 feet  
**Open To:** Hiking, horseback riding, mountain biking

### **Access:**

- From I-70 exit 147 for Eagle, turn south on Eby Creek Rd to the Route 6 roundabout.
- At roundabout, turn right (west) on Route 6/Grand Ave and travel 0.8 miles to next roundabout.
- At this roundabout, take the third right onto Sylvan Lake Road.
- Continue 1.6 miles to Brush Creek Road, and take a right on Brush Creek Road.
- Follow Brush Creek Rd for roughly 9 miles to the fork of East and West Brush Creek.
- Turn right onto West Brush Creek Rd., FDR 400 and travel for 4.4 miles just past the Sylvan Lake State Park entrance.
- The trailhead is just past the entrance on the left.

### **Trail Highlights:**

- The trail begins in aspen and climbs up steeply to an overlook of Sylvan Lake.
- This well-marked, maintained trail has grades that will vary from 4-22 % while passing through open meadows, aspen, spruce, fir and lodge pole pine forest.
- At the upper end of the trail, it enters a cool coniferous forest and crosses a small intermittent stream.
- At the end, the trail fades out in a grassy aspen grove just past a small meadow, from this point if you wish to continue, head to the left through an aspen grove and then you will come out on an old logging road, FDR 436.
- Parts of the trail have views of Red Table Mountain to the southwest and the high, red sandstone cliffs of Mount Eve to the north.
- Various types of wildflowers can be seen on the lower part of the trail including harebells, sego lilies, paintbrushes, wild rose bushes and asters. Near the top of the trail you will find sunflowers, lupines, and wild geraniums.

### **Important Information:**

- **ALL DISTANCES ARE ONE WAY.**
- **A STATE PARKS PASS IS REQUIRED IF YOU PLAN TO USE THE PICNIC AREA OR ANY OTHER AREA OF THE PARK.**

**PACK IT IN—PACK IT OUT!! LEAVE NO TRACE!!**

*THIS MAP IS INTENDED FOR USE AS A GENERAL GUIDE ONLY, NOT FOR ACTUAL LAND NAVIGATION. THE WHITE RIVER NATIONAL FOREST STRONGLY SUGGESTS PURCHASING A TOPOGRAPHIC TRAIL MAP AND COMPASS PRIOR TO BEGINNING A HIKING TRIP.*

106°45.000' W	106°44.000' W	106°43.000' W	106°42.000' W
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